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Filing Date: July 9, 2003  
Our Reference: MIPFP040  
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Gentlemen:

This letter is to request a refund for funds that were deducted in error from our deposit account, as this Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) was filed in a timely manner. The references listed in the attached PTO Form 1449 were cited in a communication in a counterpart Japanese application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement (IDS).

On January 2, 2008, we filed an Information Disclosure Statement dated January 2, 2008. We believe that no fees were required in the filing of this Notice, as it was filed in a timely manner. A copy of the Information Disclosure Statement as well as the Patent Postcard has been enclosed for your reference.

We also enclose a copy of a computer printout of our Deposit Account Statement, dated January, 2008. The Deposit Account Statement shows a debit dated January 22, 2008 regarding the above-identified patent application. The debit is as follows: \$180.00 for Fee Code 1806 (Submission of an Information Disclosure Statement).

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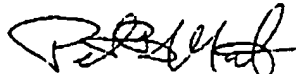
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References L and M are in Japanese. The relevance of References L and M may be ascertained by reviewing References R and S, which are English language abstracts of References L and M, respectively. In addition, Reference A is believed to be an English-language equivalent of Reference M, and Reference B is believed to be an English-language equivalent of Reference L.

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